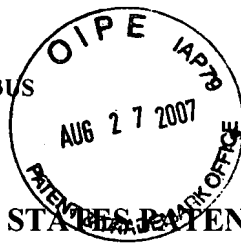


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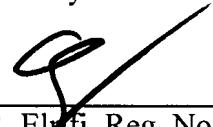
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), Applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time to respond to the February 27, 2007 Restriction Requirement, in the above-identified application. With the extension, the response is due on or before July 27, 2007. A check in the amount of \$510.00 in payment of the fee required by 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(3), is enclosed herein.

Please charge any additional fees that may be due, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Reference No. 18989-032. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,



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